

Table 8.1 Age, Gender, and Race/Ethnicity of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Dual Eligible Status, 1998

All Medicare Beneficiaries

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Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,825	5,815	822	33,189
	139	140	43	189
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total				
Medicare Status¹				
Aged				
65 - 74 years	44.94	29.12	22.04	48.28
	0.32	1.03	1.92	0.35
75 - 84 years	30.90	24.36	22.98	32.24
	0.24	0.92	2.13	0.27
85 years and older	11.36	17.37	25.23	9.96
	0.17	0.51	1.70	0.18
Disabled				
Under 45 years	4.05	14.21	10.73	2.10
	0.08	0.51	1.02	0.09
45 - 64 years	8.75	14.94	19.03	7.41
	0.15	0.75	2.13	0.21
Gender by Age				
Male				
	43.77	35.83	42.84	45.19
	0.25	0.92	2.51	0.35
Aged				
65 - 74 years	20.83	10.30	7.47	23.00
	0.25	0.68	1.58	0.34
75 - 84 years	12.26	6.76	8.92	13.31
	0.21	0.52	1.35	0.24
85 years and older	3.29	3.78	7.50	3.10
	0.09	0.34	0.96	0.10
Disabled				
Under 45 years	2.40	8.52	7.23	1.21
	0.06	0.37	0.93	0.07
45 - 64 years	4.99	6.47	11.72	4.56
	0.13	0.48	2.11	0.16

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Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total				
Female	56.23	64.17	57.16	54.81
	0.25	0.92	2.51	0.35
Aged				
65 - 74 years	24.11	18.84	14.56	25.27
	0.27	0.94	1.82	0.28
75 - 84 years	18.64	17.58	14.06	18.94
	0.21	0.73	1.67	0.22
85 years and older	8.06	13.57	17.73	6.86
	0.14	0.49	1.55	0.15
Disabled				
Under 45 years	1.64	5.70	3.50	0.89
	0.06	0.31	0.84	0.07
45 - 64 years	3.77	8.48	7.31	2.85
	0.10	0.58	1.25	0.14
Race/Ethnicity by Age²				
White non-Hispanic	82.19	63.13	54.45	86.19
	0.45	1.16	2.15	0.40
Aged				
65 - 74 years	37.05	16.14	8.50	41.39
	0.38	0.87	1.45	0.41
75 - 84 years	26.50	15.02	11.62	28.86
	0.24	0.81	1.49	0.28
85 years and older	9.84	13.45	18.71	8.99
	0.17	0.51	1.61	0.17
Disabled				
Under 45 years	2.71	9.34	6.96	1.45
	0.07	0.47	1.09	0.08
45 - 64 years	6.09	9.18	8.67	5.49
	0.17	0.61	1.58	0.18

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Black non-Hispanic	8.81	19.17	15.24	6.84
	0.15	0.81	1.79	0.16
Aged				
65 - 74 years	3.51	5.28	2.60	3.23
	0.11	0.49	1.09	0.13
75 - 84 years	2.25	4.84	4.16	1.75
	0.08	0.45	1.04	0.08
85 years and older	0.88	2.32	3.67	0.56
	0.05	0.22	0.63	0.05
Disabled				
Under 45 years	0.83	3.40	1.53	0.36
	0.04	0.29	0.44	0.04
45 - 64 years	1.34	3.32	3.27	0.95
	0.07	0.28	0.75	0.09
Hispanic	6.58	11.81	28.43	5.13
	0.44	1.23	2.06	0.35
Aged				
65 - 74 years	3.11	4.90	10.17	2.63
	0.27	0.81	1.55	0.22
75 - 84 years	1.57	2.90	6.98	1.20
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85 years and older	0.51	1.00	2.66	0.37
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Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total				
Disabled				
Under 45 years	0.34	0.85	1.62	0.22
	<i>0.04</i>	<i>0.11</i>	<i>0.40</i>	<i>0.03</i>
45 - 64 years	1.04	2.16	7.00	0.70
	<i>0.09</i>	<i>0.39</i>	<i>1.07</i>	<i>0.08</i>

Source: Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey

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- 2 Race/ethnicity percentages do not add to 100 percent because the category "Other Race/Ethnicity" is not included as a category in the table, although it is included in the total.

Table 8.2 Age, Gender, and Race/Ethnicity of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Insurance Status, 1998

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Supplemental Health Insurance				Fee-For- Service	Other
		Medicare Risk HMO ³	Medicaid (Buy-ins)	Medicaid (Survey Reported)	Private Insurance		
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,825	6,038	5,815	822	21,952	4,587	611
	139	135	140	43	251	134	52
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total							
Medicare Status¹							
Aged							
65 - 74 years	44.94	53.81	29.12	22.04	48.83	39.18	42.13
	0.32	0.94	1.03	1.92	0.57	1.41	4.04
75 - 84 years	30.90	30.91	24.36	22.98	34.66	23.72	22.57
	0.24	0.78	0.92	2.13	0.42	0.93	2.33
85 years and older	11.36	8.44	17.37	25.23	10.33	9.81	12.77
	0.17	0.32	0.51	1.70	0.25	0.48	1.91
Disabled							
Under 45 years	4.05	1.26	14.21	10.73	1.22	6.87	6.22
	0.08	0.10	0.51	1.02	0.10	0.53	1.31
45 - 64 years	8.75	5.58	14.94	19.03	4.95	20.41	16.31
	0.15	0.37	0.75	2.13	0.23	1.05	2.20
Gender by Age							
Male							
	43.77	43.97	35.83	42.84	43.91	52.87	45.33
	0.25	0.78	0.92	2.51	0.49	1.30	3.06
Aged							
65 - 74 years	20.83	24.41	10.30	7.47	23.40	19.81	18.81
	0.25	0.80	0.68	1.58	0.49	1.22	3.22
75 - 84 years	12.26	12.54	6.76	8.92	14.07	11.03	10.41
	0.21	0.57	0.52	1.35	0.32	0.59	1.81
85 years and older	3.29	2.79	3.78	7.50	3.20	2.88	4.32
	0.09	0.21	0.34	0.96	0.14	0.30	1.67
Disabled							
Under 45 years	2.40	0.71	8.52	7.23	0.52	4.80	4.26
	0.06	0.10	0.37	0.93	0.06	0.43	1.11
45 - 64 years	4.99	3.51	6.47	11.72	2.72	14.34	7.52
	0.13	0.28	0.48	2.11	0.18	0.94	1.61

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Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total							
Female	56.23	56.03	64.17	57.16	56.09	47.13	54.67
	0.25	0.78	0.92	2.51	0.49	1.30	3.06
Aged							
65 - 74 years	24.11	29.40	18.84	14.56	25.43	19.37	23.06
	0.27	0.71	0.94	1.82	0.39	1.20	2.54
75 - 84 years	18.64	18.36	17.58	14.06	20.59	12.69	12.26
	0.21	0.61	0.73	1.67	0.41	0.74	1.57
85 years and older	8.06	5.65	13.57	17.73	7.13	6.94	8.51
	0.14	0.27	0.49	1.55	0.20	0.42	1.45
Disabled							
Under 45 years	1.64	0.54	5.70	3.50	0.71	2.07	1.99
	0.06	0.06	0.31	0.84	0.08	0.35	0.57
45 - 64 years	3.77	2.07	8.48	7.31	2.23	6.07	8.86
	0.10	0.23	0.58	1.25	0.14	0.62	1.50
Race/Ethnicity by Age²							
White non-Hispanic	82.19	79.27	63.13	54.45	91.84	71.05	63.82
	0.45	0.85	1.16	2.15	0.34	1.75	3.53
Aged							
65 - 74 years	37.05	41.97	16.14	8.50	44.44	27.77	27.64
	0.38	0.80	0.87	1.45	0.54	1.33	3.31
75 - 84 years	26.50	25.48	15.02	11.62	32.52	17.61	14.76
	0.24	0.77	0.81	1.49	0.45	0.88	2.15
85 years and older	9.84	7.06	13.45	18.71	9.71	8.03	9.12
	0.17	0.30	0.51	1.61	0.24	0.42	1.77
Disabled							
Under 45 years	2.71	0.86	9.34	6.96	1.01	4.08	3.37
	0.07	0.10	0.47	1.09	0.09	0.40	1.15
45 - 64 years	6.09	3.89	9.18	8.67	4.16	13.57	8.93
	0.17	0.33	0.61	1.58	0.20	0.94	1.57

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Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total							
Black non-Hispanic	8.81	9.31	19.17	15.24	4.00	16.61	11.90
	0.15	0.58	0.81	1.79	0.23	0.97	2.02
Aged							
65 - 74 years	3.51	5.07	5.28	2.60	2.04	6.48	3.45
	0.11	0.44	0.49	1.09	0.17	0.75	1.01
75 - 84 years	2.25	2.50	4.84	4.16	1.12	3.57	3.40
	0.08	0.24	0.45	1.04	0.10	0.30	1.15
85 years and older	0.88	0.74	2.32	3.67	0.36	1.02	2.21
	0.05	0.13	0.22	0.63	0.05	0.17	0.81
Disabled							
Under 45 years	0.83	0.17	3.40	1.53	0.10	1.82	0.76
	0.04	0.05	0.29	0.44	0.03	0.29	0.48
45 - 64 years	1.34	0.83	3.32	3.27	0.38	3.71	2.08
	0.07	0.16	0.28	0.75	0.08	0.51	1.19
Hispanic	6.58	8.52	11.81	28.43	3.02	8.73	20.73
	0.44	0.56	1.23	2.06	0.23	1.58	2.77
Aged							
65 - 74 years	3.11	4.97	4.90	10.17	1.63	3.52	8.76
	0.27	0.45	0.81	1.55	0.16	0.92	3.00
75 - 84 years	1.57	2.14	2.90	6.98	0.73	1.92	3.67
	0.12	0.24	0.35	1.24	0.09	0.45	0.52
85 years and older	0.51	0.44	1.00	2.66	0.25	0.71	1.54
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Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total							
Disabled							
Under 45 years	0.34	0.15	0.85	1.62	0.08	0.74	2.09
	<i>0.04</i>	<i>0.05</i>	<i>0.11</i>	<i>0.40</i>	<i>0.02</i>	<i>0.16</i>	<i>0.65</i>
45 - 64 years	1.04	0.82	2.16	7.00	0.32	1.83	4.68
	<i>0.09</i>	<i>0.13</i>	<i>0.39</i>	<i>1.07</i>	<i>0.07</i>	<i>0.37</i>	<i>1.24</i>

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3 HMO stands for Health Maintenance Organization.

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Marital Status				
Married	52.66	21.96	28.67	58.61
	0.38	0.88	2.38	0.41
Widowed	30.62	40.69	37.19	28.69
	0.35	1.06	2.51	0.36
Divorced/separated	9.29	16.44	14.64	7.91
	0.28	0.81	1.96	0.26
Never married	7.43	20.90	19.49	4.78
	0.21	0.86	1.60	0.18
Living Arrangement				
Community				
Lives alone	29.00	32.25	21.21	28.63
	0.32	1.06	2.61	0.35
With spouse	49.48	17.64	20.79	55.77
	0.40	0.80	2.48	0.43
With children	8.80	15.19	9.67	7.66
	0.21	0.70	1.41	0.22
With others	7.21	15.51	11.56	5.65
	0.22	0.79	1.24	0.19
Long-Term Care				
Facility	5.50	19.41	36.78	2.29
	0.16	0.68	2.46	0.12
Race/Ethnicity				
White non-Hispanic	81.69	62.71	54.21	85.67
	0.47	1.19	2.12	0.42
Black non-Hispanic	8.75	19.04	15.17	6.80
	0.15	0.79	1.78	0.16
Hispanic	6.54	11.73	28.30	5.09
	0.44	1.22	2.07	0.35
Other	3.02	6.52	2.32	2.43
	0.19	0.56	0.92	0.21

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Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total				
Schooling				
0 - 8 years	20.19	41.88	45.22	16.14
	0.61	1.38	2.96	0.55
9 - 11 years	15.94	20.24	17.56	15.21
	0.37	0.90	2.06	0.42
12 years	33.70	24.40	22.83	35.44
	0.50	1.05	2.44	0.55
13 - 15 years	15.89	8.78	8.84	17.19
	0.41	0.71	1.55	0.45
16 or more years	14.28	4.70	5.56	16.02
	0.45	0.49	1.19	0.51
Income				
\$5,000 of less	5.88	15.75	22.10	3.75
	0.20	0.80	1.91	0.19
\$5,001 - \$10,000	22.36	59.97	46.53	15.18
	0.40	1.10	2.53	0.33
\$10,001 - \$15,000	16.66	11.47	16.10	17.58
	0.30	0.63	1.86	0.34
\$15,001 - \$20,000	12.34	4.15	6.84	13.91
	0.25	0.43	1.36	0.31
\$20,001 - \$25,000	10.06	2.84	3.94	11.48
	0.28	0.37	1.03	0.33
\$25,001 - \$30,000	8.21	2.13	1.67	9.43
	0.26	0.37	0.71	0.30
\$30,001 - \$35,000	5.66	0.70	0.20	6.66
	0.19	0.20	0.16	0.23
\$35,001 - \$40,000	5.17	0.91	0.30	6.03
	0.21	0.17	0.21	0.25
More than \$40,000	13.67	2.07	2.32	15.98
	0.38	0.29	0.78	0.43

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Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total				
Metropolitan Area Resident				
Yes	75.14	70.08	83.09	75.83
	<i>0.30</i>	<i>1.18</i>	<i>2.16</i>	<i>0.37</i>
No	24.86	29.92	16.91	24.17
	<i>0.30</i>	<i>1.18</i>	<i>2.16</i>	<i>0.37</i>

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Marital Status							
Married	52.66	55.98	21.96	28.67	62.66	44.13	47.87
	0.38	0.83	0.88	2.38	0.51	1.46	3.75
Widowed	30.62	29.41	40.69	37.19	28.25	29.06	34.82
	0.35	0.81	1.06	2.51	0.48	1.09	3.44
Divorced/separated	9.29	10.40	16.44	14.64	5.39	16.83	6.93
	0.28	0.69	0.81	1.96	0.28	1.09	1.44
Never married	7.43	4.22	20.90	19.49	3.70	9.98	10.38
	0.21	0.40	0.86	1.60	0.19	0.75	2.28
Living Arrangement							
Community							
Lives alone	29.00	29.42	32.25	21.21	28.13	30.19	26.83
	0.32	0.87	1.06	2.61	0.46	1.13	2.75
With spouse	49.48	53.79	17.64	20.79	59.65	41.19	45.39
	0.40	0.87	0.80	2.48	0.54	1.43	3.71
With children	8.80	8.87	15.19	9.67	6.21	11.92	15.49
	0.21	0.54	0.70	1.41	0.26	0.75	1.84
With others	7.21	6.78	15.51	11.56	4.18	10.60	10.12
	0.22	0.39	0.79	1.24	0.23	0.75	1.54
Long-Term Care Facility							
	5.50	1.13	19.41	36.78	1.82	6.10	2.18
	0.16	0.15	0.68	2.46	0.14	0.51	0.74
Race/Ethnicity							
White non-Hispanic	81.69	78.72	62.71	54.21	91.35	70.51	63.36
	0.47	0.91	1.19	2.12	0.36	1.76	3.54
Black non-Hispanic	8.75	9.24	19.04	15.17	3.98	16.48	11.81
	0.15	0.58	0.79	1.78	0.22	0.95	1.99
Hispanic	6.54	8.46	11.73	28.30	3.00	8.66	20.58
	0.44	0.56	1.22	2.07	0.23	1.58	2.77
Other	3.02	3.58	6.52	2.32	1.66	4.35	4.25
	0.19	0.58	0.56	0.92	0.18	0.72	1.46

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All Medicare Beneficiaries

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			Medicaid (Buy-ins)	Medicaid (Survey Reported)	Private Insurance		
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,825	6,038	5,815	822	21,952	4,587	611
	139	135	140	43	251	134	52
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total							
Schooling							
0 - 8 years	20.19	15.47	41.88	45.22	13.39	28.43	30.80
	0.61	0.66	1.38	2.96	0.59	1.59	2.60
9 - 11 years	15.94	16.95	20.24	17.56	14.03	17.87	20.86
	0.37	0.79	0.90	2.06	0.50	0.90	2.66
12 years	33.70	36.08	24.40	22.83	36.67	29.92	25.48
	0.50	0.93	1.05	2.44	0.72	1.31	2.90
13 - 15 years	15.89	18.18	8.78	8.84	17.73	14.25	9.65
	0.41	0.64	0.71	1.55	0.54	1.12	1.80
16 or more years	14.28	13.32	4.70	5.56	18.17	9.53	13.21
	0.45	0.76	0.49	1.19	0.61	1.09	3.20
Income							
\$5,000 or less	5.88	3.76	15.75	22.10	2.58	8.10	12.89
	0.20	0.26	0.80	1.91	0.16	0.71	2.72
\$5,001 - \$10,000	22.36	17.88	59.97	46.53	10.57	31.51	31.41
	0.40	0.74	1.10	2.53	0.38	1.14	3.52
\$10,001 - \$15,000	16.66	20.25	11.47	16.10	15.68	22.75	20.62
	0.30	0.74	0.63	1.86	0.41	0.92	2.87
\$15,001 - \$20,000	12.34	13.39	4.15	6.84	14.48	11.93	13.18
	0.25	0.58	0.43	1.36	0.44	0.87	2.10
\$20,001 - \$25,000	10.06	11.22	2.84	3.94	12.88	5.99	4.98
	0.28	0.59	0.37	1.03	0.43	0.60	1.21
\$25,001 - \$30,000	8.21	8.80	2.13	1.67	10.65	5.20	3.65
	0.26	0.55	0.37	0.71	0.41	0.62	1.14
\$30,001 - \$35,000	5.66	7.69	0.70	0.20	6.97	4.31	3.38
	0.19	0.54	0.20	0.16	0.27	0.67	1.52
\$35,001 - \$40,000	5.17	5.47	0.91	0.30	6.97	2.72	2.80
	0.21	0.42	0.17	0.21	0.34	0.37	1.18
More than \$40,000	13.67	11.53	2.07	2.32	19.23	7.49	7.10
	0.38	0.74	0.29	0.78	0.56	0.91	1.99

Table 8.4 Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Insurance Status, 1998

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Beneficiary Characteristic	Total	Medicare Risk HMO ¹	Supplemental Health Insurance				Fee-For- Service	Other
			Medicaid (Buy-ins)	Medicaid (Survey Reported)	Private Insurance			
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,825	6,038	5,815	822	21,952	4,587	611	
	<i>139</i>	<i>135</i>	<i>140</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>251</i>	<i>134</i>	<i>52</i>	
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total								
Metropolitan Area Resident								
Yes	75.14	95.55	70.08	83.09	72.07	68.33	72.56	
	<i>0.30</i>	<i>0.79</i>	<i>1.18</i>	<i>2.16</i>	<i>0.66</i>	<i>1.27</i>	<i>5.08</i>	
No	24.86	4.45	29.92	16.91	27.93	31.67	27.44	
	<i>0.30</i>	<i>0.79</i>	<i>1.18</i>	<i>2.16</i>	<i>0.66</i>	<i>1.27</i>	<i>5.08</i>	

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1 HMO stands for Health Maintenance Organization.

Table 8.5 Perceived Health and Functioning of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Dual Eligible Status, 1998

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Measure of Perceived Health or Functioning ¹	Total	Insurance Coverage		
		Medicaid (Buy-ins)	Medicaid (Survey Reported)	Non-Dual Eligibles
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,825	5,815	822	33,189
	139	140	43	189
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total				
Health Status				
Excellent	14.00	5.27	2.79	15.80
	0.35	0.44	0.58	0.41
Very good	25.00	13.20	6.77	27.50
	0.46	0.77	1.28	0.49
Good	30.99	28.15	33.66	31.42
	0.48	0.96	2.91	0.54
Fair	19.78	33.04	35.66	17.08
	0.47	0.97	2.74	0.51
Poor	10.23	20.34	21.11	8.20
	0.32	0.85	1.69	0.31
Functional Limitation				
None	51.19	23.85	17.79	56.83
	0.61	1.01	3.29	0.65
IADL only ²	13.07	17.51	16.81	12.19
	0.34	0.86	1.55	0.37
One to two ADLs ³	21.10	27.37	20.37	20.02
	0.39	1.04	2.00	0.41
Three to six ADLs	14.64	31.27	45.04	10.95
	0.34	1.00	2.92	0.34
Upper Extremity Limitation				
No	60.02	42.95	39.37	63.50
	0.75	1.20	3.39	0.78
Yes, no ADL/IADL present	9.98	6.69	3.93	10.70
	0.27	0.56	1.19	0.29
Yes, ADL/IADL present	30.00	50.36	56.70	25.80
	0.63	1.22	3.64	0.63

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Measure of Perceived Health or Functioning ¹	Total	Insurance Coverage		
		Medicaid (Buy-ins)	Medicaid (Survey Reported)	Non-Dual Eligibles
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,825	5,815	822	33,189
	<i>139</i>	<i>140</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>189</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total				
Mobility Limitation				
No	52.74	31.35	26.96	57.09
	<i>0.54</i>	<i>1.12</i>	<i>2.85</i>	<i>0.52</i>
Yes, no ADL/IADL present	9.75	7.83	4.13	10.23
	<i>0.30</i>	<i>0.78</i>	<i>1.24</i>	<i>0.31</i>
Yes, ADL/IADL present	37.51	60.83	68.91	32.68
	<i>0.53</i>	<i>1.06</i>	<i>3.39</i>	<i>0.53</i>

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2 IADL stands for Instrumental Activity of Daily Living.

3 ADL stands for Activity of Daily Living.

Table 8.6 Perceived Health and Functioning of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Insurance Coverage, 1998

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Measure of Perceived Health or Functioning ¹	Total	Medicare Risk HMO4	Supplemental Health Insurance			Fee-for-Service	Other
			Medicaid (Buy-ins)	Medicaid (Survey Reported)	Private Insurance		
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,825	6,038	5,815	822	21,952	4,587	611
	139	135	140	43	251	134	52
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total							
Health Status							
Excellent	14.00	17.95	5.27	2.79	15.85	13.51	10.26
	0.35	0.64	0.44	0.58	0.56	0.97	3.04
Very good	25.00	29.01	13.20	6.77	28.87	20.05	19.12
	0.46	0.93	0.77	1.28	0.60	0.99	2.67
Good	30.99	31.66	28.15	33.66	32.24	27.74	27.06
	0.48	0.85	0.96	2.91	0.68	1.23	3.19
Fair	19.78	15.33	33.04	35.66	15.88	23.56	28.59
	0.47	0.68	0.97	2.74	0.59	1.04	2.97
Poor	10.23	6.05	20.34	21.11	7.15	15.14	14.98
	0.32	0.39	0.85	1.69	0.36	1.01	1.72
Functional Limitation							
None	51.19	62.42	23.85	17.79	57.85	46.49	43.57
	0.61	0.98	1.01	3.29	0.74	1.48	3.88
IADL only ²	13.07	10.99	17.51	16.81	11.91	14.38	17.60
	0.34	0.56	0.86	1.55	0.44	0.86	2.84
One to two ADLs ³	21.10	18.09	27.37	20.37	19.90	22.61	23.82
	0.39	0.77	1.04	2.00	0.46	1.26	2.76
Three to six ADLs	14.64	8.50	31.27	45.04	10.34	16.51	15.01
	0.34	0.55	1.00	2.92	0.34	1.09	2.16
Upper Extremity Limitation							
No	60.02	66.98	42.95	39.37	64.48	55.47	54.08
	0.75	1.07	1.20	3.39	0.88	1.47	3.42
Yes, no ADL/IADL present	9.98	11.19	6.69	3.93	10.64	10.44	10.04
	0.27	0.55	0.56	1.19	0.35	0.77	1.54
Yes, ADL/IADL present	30.00	21.83	50.36	56.70	24.88	34.09	35.88
	0.63	0.83	1.22	3.64	0.69	1.39	3.20

Table 8.6 Perceived Health and Functioning of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Insurance Coverage, 1998

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Measure of Perceived Health or Functioning ¹	Total	Medicare Risk HMO4	Supplemental Health Insurance			Fee-for-Service	Other
			Medicaid (Buy-ins)	Medicaid (Survey Reported)	Private Insurance		
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,825	6,038	5,815	822	21,952	4,587	611
	<i>139</i>	<i>135</i>	<i>140</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>251</i>	<i>134</i>	<i>52</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total							
Mobility Limitation							
No	52.74	61.27	31.35	26.96	57.98	49.13	43.53
	<i>0.54</i>	<i>1.03</i>	<i>1.12</i>	<i>2.85</i>	<i>0.60</i>	<i>1.40</i>	<i>3.40</i>
Yes, no ADL/IADL present	9.75	10.79	7.83	4.13	10.15	9.65	11.81
	<i>0.30</i>	<i>0.59</i>	<i>0.78</i>	<i>1.24</i>	<i>0.40</i>	<i>0.68</i>	<i>2.19</i>
Yes, ADL/IADL present	37.51	27.94	60.83	68.91	31.87	41.21	44.66
	<i>0.53</i>	<i>0.96</i>	<i>1.06</i>	<i>3.39</i>	<i>0.62</i>	<i>1.35</i>	<i>3.32</i>

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- 4 HMO stands for Health Maintenance Organization.

Table 8.7 Self-Reported Health Conditions and Risk Factors of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Dual Eligible Status, 1998

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Self-Reported Health Condition ¹	Total	Insurance Coverage		
		Medicaid (Buy-ins)	Medicaid (Survey Reported)	Non-Dual Eligibles
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,825	5,815	822	33,189
	139	140	43	189
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total				
Chronic Conditions				
None	13.09	12.93	11.19	13.17
	0.33	0.61	2.01	0.39
One	19.05	14.27	13.78	20.01
	0.34	0.75	1.75	0.38
Two or more	67.86	72.80	75.03	66.82
	0.51	0.89	2.17	0.57
Disease/Condition				
Hypertension	52.49	53.39	52.84	52.32
	0.55	0.93	2.70	0.63
Diabetes	16.27	21.62	23.63	15.15
	0.29	0.91	2.29	0.31
Arthritis	53.68	53.18	42.64	54.05
	0.50	0.88	2.32	0.60
Osteoporosis/broken hip	14.72	16.17	13.12	14.50
	0.30	0.79	1.89	0.34
Pulmonary disease	14.25	19.48	17.79	13.25
	0.31	0.83	2.24	0.34
Stroke	10.84	14.78	14.34	10.06
	0.29	0.77	1.82	0.30
Alzheimer's disease	4.44	11.44	17.96	2.88
	0.14	0.60	1.87	0.12
Parkinson's disease	1.51	2.33	4.25	1.30
	0.11	0.31	1.10	0.11
Skin cancer	15.14	6.30	4.44	16.95
	0.39	0.59	1.16	0.43
Other type of cancer	16.22	14.33	9.77	16.72
	0.30	0.87	1.79	0.27

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		Medicaid (Buy-ins)	Medicaid (Survey Reported)	Non-Dual Eligibles
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,825	5,815	822	33,189
	<i>139</i>	<i>140</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>189</i>
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total				
Urinary Incontinence	22.72	33.07	38.92	20.54
	<i>0.38</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>2.66</i>	<i>0.40</i>
Smokers				
Never smoked	40.93	48.73	49.97	39.38
	<i>0.46</i>	<i>1.02</i>	<i>2.79</i>	<i>0.48</i>
Former smoker	43.74	30.13	32.62	46.33
	<i>0.48</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>2.28</i>	<i>0.54</i>
Current smoker	15.33	21.14	17.41	14.29
	<i>0.31</i>	<i>0.86</i>	<i>2.13</i>	<i>0.35</i>

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Table 8.8 Self-Reported Health Conditions and Risk Factors of Medicare Beneficiaries, by Insurance Coverage, 1998

All Medicare Beneficiaries

Self-Reported Health Condition ¹	Total	Medicare Risk HMO ²	Supplemental Health Insurance				Fee-For-Service	Other
			Medicaid (Buy-ins)	Medicaid (Survey Reported)	Private Insurance			
Beneficiaries (in 000s)	39,825	6,038	5,815	822	21,952	4,587	611	
	139	135	140	43	251	134	52	
Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total								
Chronic Conditions								
None	13.09	14.16	12.93	11.19	11.62	19.19	13.83	
	0.33	0.62	0.61	2.01	0.44	1.13	2.88	
One	19.05	21.07	14.27	13.78	20.13	18.72	14.93	
	0.34	0.78	0.75	1.75	0.49	1.09	2.17	
Two or more	67.86	64.77	72.80	75.03	68.25	62.08	71.24	
	0.51	0.87	0.89	2.17	0.67	1.34	2.98	
Disease/Condition								
Hypertension	52.49	51.79	53.39	52.84	53.58	46.50	56.31	
	0.55	0.91	0.93	2.70	0.77	1.45	4.01	
Diabetes	16.27	16.73	21.62	23.63	14.44	15.36	23.50	
	0.29	0.69	0.91	2.29	0.40	0.99	2.77	
Arthritis	53.68	53.12	53.18	42.64	55.76	47.32	52.21	
	0.50	0.95	0.88	2.32	0.69	1.38	3.14	
Osteoporosis/broken hip	14.72	11.34	16.17	13.12	16.12	10.77	15.74	
	0.30	0.53	0.79	1.89	0.48	0.64	1.97	
Pulmonary disease	14.25	12.19	19.48	17.79	13.05	14.33	22.62	
	0.31	0.62	0.83	2.24	0.41	0.85	3.27	
Stroke	10.84	9.95	14.78	14.34	9.77	11.49	10.73	
	0.29	0.59	0.77	1.82	0.33	0.84	1.78	
Alzheimer's disease	4.44	2.62	11.44	17.96	2.58	4.68	2.49	
	0.14	0.23	0.60	1.87	0.15	0.43	0.96	
Parkinson's disease	1.51	1.09	2.33	4.25	1.31	1.37	2.17	
	0.11	0.15	0.31	1.10	0.14	0.22	0.93	
Skin cancer	15.14	14.36	6.30	4.44	19.13	10.23	14.62	
	0.39	0.58	0.59	1.16	0.55	0.79	2.69	
Other type of cancer	16.22	16.81	14.33	9.77	17.25	14.49	13.30	
	0.30	0.73	0.87	1.79	0.35	0.86	2.12	

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All Medicare Beneficiaries

Self-Reported Health Condition ¹	Total	Medicare Risk HMO ²	Supplemental Health Insurance			Fee-For-Service	Other
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Beneficiaries as a Percent of Column Total							
Urinary Incontinence	22.72	20.49	33.07	38.92	20.41	20.99	22.58
	<i>0.38</i>	<i>0.84</i>	<i>0.95</i>	<i>2.66</i>	<i>0.52</i>	<i>1.00</i>	<i>2.47</i>
Smokers							
Never smoked	40.93	37.91	48.73	49.97	40.24	37.05	40.51
	<i>0.46</i>	<i>0.92</i>	<i>1.02</i>	<i>2.79</i>	<i>0.60</i>	<i>1.22</i>	<i>3.39</i>
Former smoker	43.74	48.00	30.13	32.62	47.88	37.07	43.09
	<i>0.48</i>	<i>0.91</i>	<i>0.97</i>	<i>2.28</i>	<i>0.63</i>	<i>1.29</i>	<i>3.92</i>
Current smoker	15.33	14.09	21.14	17.41	11.88	25.88	16.39
	<i>0.31</i>	<i>0.69</i>	<i>0.86</i>	<i>2.13</i>	<i>0.41</i>	<i>1.31</i>	<i>3.34</i>

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